

IN THE CLAIMS:

Claim 1 (cancelled).

Claim 2 (currently amended): A vehicular lamp ~~in which a front opening of a lamp body thereof is covered with a resin-made plain outer cover,~~ including a lamp body, a light source installed in said lamp body, and a resin-made plain outer cover that covers a front opening of said lamp body, wherein said plain outer cover is comprised of:

a decorative face portion that faces said front opening of said lamp body,

a leg portion extending along a peripheral edge portion of said decorative face portion, and

a cylindrical step formed on an inner surface of a region that lies along said leg portion of said decorative face portion, and wherein

said plain outer cover has a lens step formed in a region that faces a gap between an inner surface of said plain outer cover and a reflector which is installed in said lamp body, said lens step functioning to optically reduce said gap.

Claim 3 (currently amended): A vehicular lamp ~~in which a front opening of a lamp body thereof is covered with a resin-made plain outer cover,~~ including a lamp body, a light source installed in said lamp body, and a resin-made plain outer cover that covers a front opening of said lamp body, wherein said plain outer cover is comprised of:

a decorative face portion that faces said front opening of said lamp body,

a leg portion extending along a peripheral edge portion of said decorative face portion, and

a cylindrical step formed on an inner surface of a region that lies along said leg portion of said decorative face portion, and wherein

said plain outer cover has a lens step formed in a region that faces a gap between an inner surface of said plain outer cover and an extension element which is installed in said lamp body, said lens step optically functioning to reduce said gap.